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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 22.

This listing of claims will replace all versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

1-21. (Canceled)

22. (Currently amended) A method for *in vivo* detection of *H. pylori* the method comprising:

inserting an autonomous *in vivo* sensing device into an upper gastrointestinal tract of a patient, said device comprising a pH-sensitive color-changing material placed on a device's optical window and a magnetic element;

eausing moving the autonomous *in vivo* device to contact at least one location of the upper gastrointestinal tract by rotating said patient an external magnetic field which moves said magnetic element;

sensing pH at the location of the upper gastrointestinal tract using said autonomous *in vivo* device pH-sensitive color-changing material;

processing pH data sensed to determine presence of *H. pylori*; and transmitting pH data to an external receiving unit.

- 23. (Original) The method according to claim 22, further comprising indicating a pH value which is about equal to or exceeds a predetermined threshold.
- 24. (Original) The method according to claim 22, wherein sensing pH is by imaging a color changing pH indicator.
- 25. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 23, wherein the pH value is about 5.5.

26-29. (Canceled)

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30. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 22, further comprising imaging the gastrointestinal tract using said autonomous in vivo device.

- 31. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 30, wherein the step of transmitting pH data further comprises transmitting image data.
- 32. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 22, further comprising ingesting urea into said patient prior to inserting the autonomous in vivo device.
- 33. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 22, further comprising the step of indicating a pH change which is about equal to or exceeds a predetermined threshold.

34-35. (Canceled)

36. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 22, wherein transmitting is by radio frequency.